

Whitehorse

CITY NEWS HIGHLIGHTS JUNE 26, 2026

In Focus

FireSmart Brush

The City and Government of Yukon are partnering to help Whitehorse residents FireSmart their properties by offering free brush drop-off at the Waste Management Facility (WMF).

WMF Hours of Operation:

Weekdays: 7:30 am - 5:30 pm

Weekends: 9 am - 5:30 pm

The WMF is located 3.5 kilometres north of the Two Mile Hill and Alaska Highway intersection.

Bring your FireSmart brush separately from other materials to avoid a mixed-load disposal fee. Do not include grass clippings in your load. Please let the gate attendant know it's a FireSmart load.

Learn more at whitehorse.ca/firesmart.



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Canada Day

Most City facilities and services will be closed on Wednesday, July 1, including the Canada Games Centre and City Hall. The Frank Slim Building in Shipyards Park will be open from 9 am to 9 pm. Weekend service will be in effect for Transit, the Waste Management Facility will be open, and curbside collection will continue for Porter Creek and Crestview.

Transit Fare Changes

Changes to Transit fares will come into effect on Wednesday, July 1. Cash fares will be \$3.50. Costs for ticket strips and monthly passes for adults, students/youth, elders/seniors or those with disabilities will also be changing. Full details are available at whitehorse.ca/transit.

Fridays in the Park

Looking for a way to kick off your summer weekends? We're excited to host another summer season of Fridays in the Park! Join us for a fun afternoon in our neighbourhood parks each Friday, 3:30 - 5:30 pm. We'll have games, entertainment and activities for kids and fun for all ages. Check out whitehorse.ca/events to see which park we'll be visiting.

Fourth Avenue Asphalt Work

Asphalt overlay work on Fourth Avenue between Ogilvie Street and Second Avenue is underway. Traffic disruptions can be expected. Road users are asked to drive with caution, obey signage, and follow directions from onsite crews. Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

Property Taxes

Property taxes are due Thursday, July 2. Skip the line at City Hall by paying through online banking and completing your Home Owners Grant application online at whitehorse.ca/hog. Visit whitehorse.ca/tax to learn more.

Next City Council Meeting

The next Council meeting is Monday, June 29 at 5:30 pm in City Hall Council Chambers. City Hall is located at 2121 2nd Avenue. Please use the Steele Street entrance. Visit whitehorse.ca/meetings for more info.